



IOWA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP

PATTY JUDGE
SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

Dr. John J. Schiltz,)	
State Veterinarian)	ORDER MODIFYING
Animal Industry Bureau)	IMPORTATION
Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship)	REQUIREMENTS OF
Wallace Building)	AVIAN SPECIES/
Des Moines, IA 50319)	PRODUCTS (AI-03-02)

This Order is issued this 6th day of February, 2003, for the purpose of taking immediate action to protect the health status of the Iowa poultry industry. Effective immediately:

1. No avian species or avian products originating from Arizona, California or Nevada; areas considered to be endemic for Exotic Newcastle Disease, will be allowed entry into Iowa.

The only exceptions to this Order will be by approval of the State Veterinarian upon epidemiological evaluation and risk determination.

Iowa has been notified of, and has verified, that Arizona, California and Nevada are areas of Exotic Newcastle Disease activity. This disease presents a significant threat to the poultry industry of Iowa.

Order AI-03-01, dated January 17, 2003, is hereby rescinded.

Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship

John J. Schiltz, D.V.M.
State Veterinarian

By authority of Iowa Code section 163.1 (2001)